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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a one-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action mailed June 27, 2005, said period of response being extended from September 27, 2005 to October 27, 2005.

Please charge Deposit Account No. the amount of \$60 to cover the required extension fee for a small entity.

Respectfully submitted,

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